IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

UNITE) STATES	OF AMERICA,)	CASE NO. 1:06CR338			
		Plaintiff,)	JUDGE	JAMES	S.	GWIN
	V.)				
IRFAN	ITAYEM,)				
		Defendant.)	FINAL	ORDER	OF	FORFEITURE

It appears to the Court that proper proceedings for the issuance of a Final Order of Forfeiture, as to the below-referenced firearms, have been had in this case as follows:

1. On July 6, 2006, a federal grand jury sitting in this district returned a 60 count indictment against Irfan Itayem, aka Irf, and 23 co-defendants. Count 1 of the indictment charged defendant Itayem with conspiring to possess with intent to distribute and to distribute five (5) kilograms or more of a mixture or substance containing a detectable amount of cocaine and a mixture or substance containing a detectable amount of

marijuana, in violation of 21 U.S.C. \S 841(a)(1), \S 841(b)(1)(A), and \S 846.

- 2. Pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853, the indictment further sought the forfeiture to the United States of "any and all property constituting, or derived from, any proceeds [the defendants] obtained, directly or indirectly, as the result of [Count 1]; [and] any and all of their property used or intended to be used, in any manner or part, to commit or to facilitate the commission of [Count 1];" including the following:
- a.) Mossberg 12-Gauge Shotgun, Serial Number L353766.
- b.) Harrington & Richardson 12-Gauge Shotgun, Serial Number AX540998. [IRFAN ITAYEM]
- c.) Mossberg 20 Gauge Shotgun, Serial Number L024189.
- d.) Marlin .22 Caliber Rifle, Serial Number 15732199.
 [IRFAN ITAYEM]
- e.) Smith & Wesson .357 Handgun, Serial Number BRM0479.
- 3. On November 6, 2006, defendant Itayem entered a plea of guilty to the charge set forth in Count 1 of the indictment.
 - 4. Also as part of the plea agreement:
- a.) Pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853, defendant Itayem agreed to the forfeiture of the following properties to the United States:

the firearms identified in paragraphs 2(a) through 2(e), inclusive.

- b.) Further, defendant Itayem agreed that these firearms are subject to forfeiture under 21 U.S.C. § 853 as they were derived from proceeds he obtained, directly or indirectly, as the result of the commission of the criminal activity charged in Count 1 of the indictment; and/or, were used, or were intended to be used, in any manner or part to commit or to facilitate the commission of the criminal activity charged in Count 1 of the indictment.
- 5. By the Preliminary Order of Forfeiture, dated November 29, 2006, the firearms identified in paragraphs 2(a) through 2(e), inclusive, were forfeited to the United States under 21 U.S.C. § 853 for disposition in accordance with law, subject to the provisions of 21 U.S.C. § 853(n).
- 6. Under 21 U.S.C. § 853(n), third parties asserting a legal interest in initially forfeited properties are entitled to a judicial determination of the validity of the legal claims or interests they assert.
- 7. The United States published notification of the Court's Preliminary Order of Forfeiture in the Cleveland <u>Daily Legal</u>

 <u>News</u>. Said notice advised all third parties of their right to petition the court within thirty (30) days of the final publication date for a hearing to adjudicate the validity of

their alleged legal interest in the initially forfeited properties. Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is a copy of the notice.

8. No third party claims were filed as a result of the published notification.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED:

- 9. The following firearms are finally forfeited to the United States, and no right, title or interest shall exist in any other party:
 - a.) Mossberg 12-Gauge Shotgun, Serial Number L353766.
- b.) Harrington & Richardson 12-Gauge Shotgun, Serial Number AX540998.
 - c.) Mossberg 20 Gauge Shotgun, Serial Number L024189.
 - d.) Marlin .22 Caliber Rifle, Serial Number 15732199.
 - e.) Smith & Wesson .357 Handgun, Serial Number BRM0479.
- 10. The United States shall seize and take control of these firearms, and shall dispose of them in accordance with law.
 - so ORDERED this 30th day of January , 2007.

s/ James S. Gwin

James S. Gwin United States District Judge